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IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

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Title: **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR CRYPTOGRAPHICALLY
PROCESSING DATA**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Applicants hereby respectfully petition the
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time to
respond to the Office Action (Paper No. 20041118) dated
December 1, 2004 for a period of **one (1)** month from **March 1,**
2005 to and including **April 1, 2005.**

Attached hereto is a responsive amendment and our
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Respectfully submitted,

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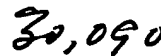
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